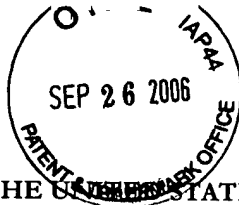


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The following amendments and remarks are submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed on August 14, 2006, in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.